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Title : Demand of the Prime Minister's statement regarding West-Asian situation and post-saddam arrest situations, Prime Minister's visit to Tzakistan, Syria and Russia; and situation of post Bhutan Government's operation against ULFA.

SHRI PRIYA RANJAN DASMUNSI (RAIGANJ): Mr. Speaker, Sir, you are the custodian of the House. In the Parliamentary system, there should be reciprocity between the Opposition and the Government on vital matters.

Sir, you may recall that in this House four pertinent issues had been raised from the Opposition side. There was an understanding, and there was a direction from you to the Government that appropriate statements would be made in regard to them.

1. In regard to the West-Asian situation and post-Saddam arrest situation in Iraq.
2. Prime Minister's own statement on his visit to Tzakistan, Syria and Russia. This is very vital.
3. I had raised the issue of successful operation of Bhutan Government - for which we all had appreciated the Bhutan Government - the ultimate repercussion, threat to Bhutanis life, threat to various parts of North Bengal, Cooch Behar and Assam.

In your presence, the Parliamentary Affairs Minister had said that she would communicate it to the Deputy Prime Minister for an appropriate statement. Nothing has been complied with. Today, I gave a notice of the Adjournment Motion pertaining to the serious issue for which the entire Academic Council of Aligarh, professors and teachers, is here. The solemn Act of Aligarh University was passed by the Centre in 1920 and amended in 1981...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: Shri Dasmunsi, you are awareâ€¦.

...(*Interruptions*)

SHRI PRIYA RANJAN DASMUNSI : Sir, I will conclude in two minutes. You can then give your direction and I will obey it....(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: The whole thing is to be repeated again when the Minister comes in the House.

SHRI SOMNATH CHATTERJEE (BOLPUR): Sir, I have also given a notice.

MR. SPEAKER: Yes, I have received your notice. और आप लोगों ने भी नोटिस दिया है।

SHRI PRIYA RANJAN DASMUNSI : Sir, you must give a direction that the Minister must come to the House. The Government cannot give scant respect to the Opposition....(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: I have already said that the Minister will come either today or tomorrow. He will make a statement whenever he comes to the House.

SHRI SOMNATH CHATTERJEE : Sir, tomorrow is the last day of the Session....(*Interruptions*)

SHRI RASHID ALVI (AMROHA): The Minister has gone abroad.â€¦ (*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: Time for 'Zero Hour' is also over.

...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: I can understand that this is a very serious issue. The Parliamentary Affairs Minister should take a serious note of it. I request the Minister to make a statement either today or tomorrow. He can come to the House either during 'Zero Hour' or at any other time.

SHRI SOMNATH CHATTERJEE : Sir, we want the withdrawal of this order. This pertains to the 7$^{th}$ of November, 2003. Suddenly, an order changing the entire procedure, regarding admission of students in Aligarh Muslim University, was issued by the University Grants Commission. The Academic Council has rejected it. The law does not provide for it. The law is contrary to it. Giving admission is entirely the jurisdiction of the University....(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: Shri Somnath Chatterjee, realising the importance of the matter only, I have said that this requires urgent attention.

...(*Interruptions*)

SHRI SOMNATH CHATTERJEE : Therefore, they should come out with proper redressal....(*Interruptions*)

**श्री रामजीलाल सुमन (फिरोजाबाद) :** अध्यक्ष महोदय, यह बहुत सीरियस इश्यू है।â€¦ (व्यवधान) अध्यक्ष महोदय, अलीगढ़ मुस्लिम यूनिवर्सिटी का जो अधिनियम है, वह अलीगढ़ मुस्लिम यूनिवर्सिटी का एक्ट इस संसद में पास हुआ है। यह सरकार हर मामले में संसद की प्रतिठा और गरिमा को गिराने का काम कर रही है। â€¦ (व्यवधान)

**श्री प्रियरंजन दासमुंशी :** एकदम ठीक बोला है।

**श्री रामजीलाल सुमन** : एच.पी.सी.एल. और बी.पी.सी.एल. के सिलसिले में भी यही हुआ। â€¦ (व्यवधान)

**अध्यक्ष महोदय :** जब मंत्री जी आयेंगे, तब आप बोलिएगा।

**श्री रामजीलाल सुमन** : अध्यक्ष महोदय, अलीगढ़ मुस्लिम यूनिवर्सिटी के माइनोरिटी करैक्टर को खत्म करने का और अनावश्यक हस्तक्षेप करने का इनका डिसीजन है। यह सरकार शिक्षा का भगवाकरण करना चाहती हैâ€¦ (व्यवधान)

**अध्यक्ष महोदय :** अभी आप अपने पड़ोसी को थोड़ा बोलने दीजिए।

**श्री रामजीलाल सुमन** : यह इस सरकार का अनावश्यक हस्तक्षेप है। यू.जी.सी. का जो सर्कुलर है, सरकार को इसे वापस लेना चाहिए।

SHRI PRIYA RANJAN DASMUNSI : Sir, do they want to supervise the Aligarh University?...(*Interruptions*)

**श्री रामजीलाल सुमन :** अध्यक्ष महोदय, आज ही होना चाहिए।

MR. SPEAKER: I have agreed to it and have already issued instructions. I am sure the statement will be made by the Minister either today or tomorrow. The Minister can make a statement at his convenience.

The House stands adjourned for Lunch to meet again at 1400 hours.

**13.14 hrs.**

*The Lok Sabha then adjourned for Lunch till Fourteen of the Clock.*

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